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Dresden, November 6, *N. S.*

THE Expectations of a general Battle seem at least suspended. The Austrians are said to retire, and the Confederates to think of Winter Quarters, which the Want of Forage about Prague obliges them to search farther in the Country and in separate Corps; for that Part of Bohemia near the Capital, having furnished Marshal Neuperg's in Silesia with Provisions all last Summer, is now so drained, that there is little but Rye left. The Saxon Troops are all drawn out of Prague, excepting one Regiment; and the Elector of Bavaria remains there with a considerable Number of his, intending, as it is reported, to be immediately proclaimed King of Bohemia. It is said, that most of the Prisoners taken at Prague, are enrolled in the Saxon Troops. His Polish Majesty has been pleased to grant that two new Regiments of Foot of 1500 Men each, should be raised by the Counts Bruhl and Belgarde. M. Dugne, the French Commissary, is now return'd with all the Saxon Artillery, sent from hence for the Siege of Prague, excepting six 24 Pounders, six 12 Pounders, and two Mortars, that were so far advanced when the Town was taken, that it was thought more adviseable to leave them there for the present, than to have them return.

Dresden, Nov. 10, *N. S.* The 8th Instant being the Anniversary of her Polish Majesty's Birth-day, the same was celebrated in the usual Manner: At Noon their Majesties dined in publick, with all the Nobility and Foreign Ministers, to whom Count Bruhl gave a most sumptuous Entertainment in the Evening. By a Letter from Prague we are informed, that the Confederates have lodged a Thousand of their Sick in the Jesuits College.

Petersbourg, Nov. 10. The Felt Marshal Lacy has received an Express from a Lieutenant Colonel of Hussars, giving him an Account, that he had penetrated, at the Head of 200 Men of his Corps, supported by 50 Dragoons, on the Nyslod Side, into Finland, where they had ravaged 60 Versts of that Country, burnt 300 Villages, massacred all the Inhabitants who made any Resistance, consumed all the Forage, and drove away all the Cattle they found, and that they had met with but one Swedish Post of about 12 Men, who immediately retired on their Approach, and that he was returned without the Loss of one Man, and with about 20 Prisoners. By an Express arrived lately from M. Kalushkin, Minister of this Court in Persia, we have Advice, that Schach Nadir has received a considerable Blow from the Highlanders of the Province of Dagestan, who border upon Georgia, and had some Yeais ago revolted from the Schach, who in this Action is said to have lost by Mortality and the Sword upwards of 25000 Men. The Winter is come on here so fast within this last Week, that the Gallies which were designed to transport Provisions, Stores, and Ammunition to Wibourg, are actually shut up at Cronstadt.

Petersbourg, Nov. 14. General Keith arrived here the 11th from Wibourg, but being only come to make his Court, he proposes to return to his Quarters in three or four Days. M. Gesremoff, at the Head of a Party of his Cossacks, has made a second Irruption by Kexholm into Finland, where he has ravaged a considerable Tract of that Country, and after having met with several small Bodies either of Peasants or Recruits, for they were dressed in Soldiers Cloaths, of which he cut off about 70, and returned with 36 Prisoners, besides 24 Women and Children, and 500 Head of black Cattle, 76 Horses, and a great Number of Sheep: And by the Letters arrived since, he is set out again on a third Expedition. There are five Regiments of Hussars posted at Olonitz, under the Command of Major General Kinderman and Brigadier Shippanoff. A Draught of all the Grenadiers out of the Regiments on the other Side of the Country, consisting of 46 Companies of 140, besides five Regiments of what they call the Persian Corps, are expected at Moscow, where they will winter, and march hither in the Spring, and will compose a Body of 15000 Men, the choicest in the Service. To-morrow there will be a splendid Appearance, and Ball at Court, on account of the Duke of Mecklenbourg, the Grand Dutchess's Father's Birth-Day.

Presbourg, Nov. 29, *N. S.* The Austrian Hussars have dislodged a Party of the Enemy from Neidstaddle and Freinstain, between Ips and Ens in Lower Austria.

Hague, Dec. 8. The States General have lost another of their Major Generals by the Death of M. Plansac, but have supplied his Place with M. Vander Duyn, Colonel of the Foot Guards, and Governor of Venlo.

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